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TITLE OF INVENTION STOPPERS					
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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:					
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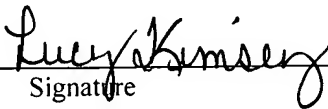
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2. Transmittal Letter to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) Concerning a Filing Under 35 U.S.C. 371 (2 pages, in duplicate);
3. Preliminary Amendment (6 pages);
4. Declaration (2 pages, unsigned);
5. Coverage of International Publication No. WO 03/074379 A2 (1 page);
6. International Search Report (12 pages);
7. Written Opinion (6 pages);
8. International Preliminary Examination Report (12 pages);
9. Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO/SB/08a Information Disclosure Statement with 15 foreign patent references (210 pages);
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